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SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE BOAT CASES: REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

REF: STATE 213600

1. INFORMATION REQUESTED REFTEL FOLLOWS.

2. TOTAL BOAT CASE POPULATION IN COUNTRY: 132

A. ACCEPTED UNDER EPP: 89.

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED: NONE.

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C. ACCPTED FOR THIRD COUNTRIES: NOT KNOWN.

3. BREAKDOWN BY BOAT.

BOAT "VT-672" (AT TANJUNG PINANG):

A. NUMBER ARRIVED ON BOAT: 42.

NUMBER REMAINING IN COUNTRY: 42.

ACCEPTED UNDER EPP: 26.

B. ACCEPTED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED: NONE.

C. ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY: NOT KNOWN.

D. OTHER: NOT KNOWN.

BOAT "MN-212" (AT TANJUNG PINANG)

A. NUMBER ARRIVED ON BOAT: 54.

NUMBER REMAINING IN COUNTRY: 54.

ACCEPTED UNDER EPP: 20.

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED: NONE.

C. ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY: NOT KNOWN.

D. OTHER: NOT KNOWN.

PEBRIK ES GROUP (AT TANJNG PINANG) (NAME OF VESSEL UNKNOWN):

A. NUMBER ARRIVED ON BOAT: 28.

NUMBER REMAINING IN COUNTRY: 28.

NUMBER ACCEPTED UNDER EPP: 26.

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED: NONE.

C. ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY: NOT KNOWN.

D. OTHER: NOT KNOWN.

SUNDA KELAPA GROUP (NEAR JAKARTA) (NAME OF VESSEL UNKNOWN):

A. NUMBER ARRIVED ON BOAT: 18.

NUMBER REMAINING IN COUNTRY: 18.

NUMBER ACCEPTED UNDER EPP: 17.

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED: NONE.

C. ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY: NOT KNOWN.

D. OTHER: NOT KNOWN.

3. A. GOI ATTITUDE TOWARDS REFUGEES IS RELUCTANCE TO GIVE TEMPORARY REFUGE. STANDING DIRECTIVES REPORTEDLY CONSIDER REFUGEES TO BE IN "TRANSIT" STATUS AND CALL FOR THE VESSELS TO BE PROVIDED WITH FOOD, WATER AND REPAIRS AND THEN PUT BACK TO SEA. NEAR-TRAGEDY OF "CHOU-LONG" SINKING MAY CAUSE GOI TO ADOPT A MORE FLEXIBLE ATTITUDE IN FUTURE, BUT THIS REMAINS TO BE SEEN.

B. ALL THIRD COUNTRY ACTIONS WITH RESPECT TO REFUGEES ARE HANDLED THROUGH UNDP OFFICE. LOCAL LIAISON OFFICER FOR LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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UNHCR IS UNDP OFFICER ANDERS PERSSON.

C. SAME AS ABOVE.

D. 114 OF THE 132 REFUGEES NOW IN INDONESIA ARE IN TANJUNG PINANG WHICH IS 600 MILES BY AIR FROM JAKARTA. ALL TANJUNG PINANG REFUGEES WERE INTERVIEWED BY A TDY INS OFFICER IN JUNE. GOI IS RELUCTANT TO ALLOW REFUGEES TO STAY IN JAKARTA, THEREFORE IF ADDITIONAL GROUPS ARRIVE AND ARE GIVEN TEMPORARY REFUGE THEY WILL MOST LIKELY ALSO

BE HOUSED AT TANJUNG PINANG. DEPARTMENT OR UNHCR SHOULD BE PREPARED IN THAT EVENT TO UNDERWRITE EMBASSY'S EXPENSES IN SENDING EMBOFF TO INTERVIEW REFUGEES. UNDP LIAISON OFFICER PERSSON IS HANDLING UNHCR AFFAIRS IN ADDITION TO HIS NORMAL RESPONSIBILITIES. A FULL-TIME UNHCR REPRESENTATIVE MIGHT BE MORE EFFECTIVE IN DEALING WITH GOI.

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